

# MARCH 2020 PONY POST



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## *Next LEMOC Meeting*

***Wednesday, March 4, 2020 7:30 pm***

***Boy Scout Building on Robison Rd.***

## **LEMOC Officers - 2020**

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MCA Rep – Doug Mather 814-884-9460



## **Calendar of Activities**

- March 4 LEMOC meeting at the Boy Scout Building 7:30
- March 14 Bonnells Rod Shop Tour for LEMOC 1:00pm. Note date change
- March 13-15 Summit Racing Piston Powered Autorama
- April 17 Mustang Birthday party. TBA
- May 1-3 Canfield Swap Meet in Canfield, Ohio
- June 11-14 Salem Super Cruise in Salem, Ohio
- June 13 Mustang vs Camaro in Austintown, Ohio
- June 19-21 2020 Can Am Canada will need a passport
- July 25-26 Pittsburgh Vintage Grand Prix
- July 31 – Aug. 2 MCA show in Buffalo
- Aug. 9 LEMOC car show at Ferrardo Ford. Note date change
- Aug. 15 Bonnell's Rod Shop car Cruise

➤ Sept. 20 GPMC All Ford show

If anyone has any other ideas or suggestions for outings or activities please send me an e mail.

## FROM THE PREZ

I recently sent in our annual club update to the Mustang Club of America, of which we are a charter member. The fact that LEMOC is a member club of MCA gives us certain benefits. One of the big benefits is liability insurance for our annual car show at NO COST to us. That in itself is worth quite a bit. We also have access to various materials for our show if we desire. There are other benefits as well. Another benefit for individual MCA members is special pricing on Ford vehicles! Being an MCA member also entitles you to enter MCA national shows. If you haven't been to one, you are missing a real Mustang treat. There are many other benefits as well, that I won't go into here. The point I really want to make is that along with receiving these benefits from MCA, they also require something from us. One of the things they require to maintain MCA charter club status is a minimum number of our LEMOC members to also be MCA members. That number is very small. Only 10 club members, including officers. Have to be MCA members. Less than that and we cease to be associated with MCA and lose all benefits. I say this because we are at that minimum number of members. If we lose one MCA member we lose our MCA status. So I would encourage you to become an MCA member. The cost is minimal; \$ 25 a year. You will help yourself, our local club and the promotion of our hobby.

Doug



## LEMOC MEETING NOTES

The Feb. LEMOC meeting began at 7:32 pm with 10 members present. The treasurer's report was read and approved. No corrections to the Pony Post.

President Doug Mather read the Thank You notes from Cody's Wheel of Hope for LEMOC's participation in Cody's fund raiser and from Community Shelter Services for the Christmas donation.

Jon Haverty covered some upcoming activities from swap meets to car shows for Feb. and March.

It was noted that the Mustang Owners Museum has moved across the street from its original building. Jerry Seamans was going to look into the move to see if he could find any more details about the move.

There will be a MCA show close to home this summer in Buffalo, NY. If you have not already done so, please update or renew your MCA membership for participation in the show. Also, LEMOC needs a certain number of members to belong to MCA in order to maintain our MCA charter. Membership can be as low as \$25 for a digital membership or \$50 and you get the MCA Times mailed to you. If anyone is interested in becoming secretary, the MCA membership is free to any officer of the club....

There will be a meeting on Wed. March 4 in addition to the tour at Bonnell's Rod Shop on March 14 at 1:00pm.

Beth Mather motioned that a donation be made to the Boy Scouts for \$200 for the use of their building for our meetings. Motion was approved.

Jerry Seamans has been diligently working on our LEMOC website and it looks great. Jerry has also been paying for the website to operate. Basil motioned that LEMOC start paying Jerry to maintain the website and it was approved.

Cruise the Bay mailed out their sponsorship letters for 2020 and LEMOC is slated to host Monday July 13 at Cruise the Bay. Sponsorship is \$325.00. Basil Yuchak motioned for LEMOC to continue to sponsor a Cruise the Bay night and motion was approved.

The Snowflake Cruise at the Clarion Hotel is in a couple of weeks with 2 couples signed up to go. This is a fun event to beat the winter "can't drive my car" syndrome and helps kick off the Cruise the Bay series for the summer to benefit Make A Wish.

April will bring National Mustang Day and club is open to some ideas the club can do for that day. Jon Haverty is going to order stickers from the MOM for members who may want one.

Another sad note that Mustang Monthly is no longer in publication. Like most magazines, the digital age has killed this magazine too.

Welcome new member Clyde Davis who owns as 2018 Ruby Red GT Convertible. Nice retirement gift Clyde!

Jon and Barb Haverty had the best time of seeing the Bullit Mustang go across the auction. Final sale with all the extra fees involved was 3.7 million. It was sold to someone in Florida...Burkholders, Webbers, Detzels, Fera or Englerts??? Or did all of you chip in to buy it??

Christine Baker won the club donation.



## LEMOC Florida Group



The LEMOC Florida group met recently for dinner and a meeting and nominated Chuck Detzel as their president. Does the Florida group have a secretary for their meetings? When is the car show?

## CAN AM 2020

The Registration is attached for the 2020 Can Am in Canada. Just a reminder that if you are planning on going, you will need a passport to get back into the states. The Canadian club is hoping for a group of at least 40 cars for their Fri night and Sat. night event due to the minimum requirement of the venues.

Plans are as follows:

Fri. Registration at the Holiday Inn Express, Dinner at a local winery with trip back to hotel for just desserts

Sat. Tour of the locks at the Welland Canal, bus ride to the Horn Blower on the Niagara River, dinner at the Polish Legion

Sun. Tour of the Chocolate FX with lunch at the Legends Golf course.

## SNOOZE AND CRUISE 2020

Cruising season is coming up so start planning on attending either a Mystery Cruise or the Snooze N Cruise. Still working on the details for the Snooze N Cruise but rumor has it the trip may be to Watkins Glen race track....tentative date in Aug.

## 2020 CAR SHOW

### 2020 LEMOC Planning notes

As you know the Annual Car Show is our only money maker to support a local charity. In doing this it takes a lot of hands. On the day of the show, I am always so appreciative of the help that comes out to support the show but in saying that there is so much behind the scenes that occurs that it is overwhelming for one couple to do it all. The support is there and that is awesome but we need for every member to either pick a partner or individually take on a committee. As the Chairperson we will also take on a project and support every committee that is needed for the show.

The work begins early in the year to make sure we think of everything and have time to put it all together. I am asking everyone to look at what is needed and think about taking a committee.

The committees that are needed are as follows:

- Registration. Hopefully Kevin will keep this but will need help before the show
- Show T Shirts
- Trophies and plaques. Mike Trinko has stepped up for this.
- Contact our DJ Pat Martin – Jerry and Chris

- Parking – Hopefully Dave Chochran will head this up
  - Security on the entrance – Jerry will contact the Girard Fire Dept.
  - Picking a charity and doing all the footwork for that.
  - Advertising Avenues in the community
  - Our Basket Auction. This can be two or even three people
  - Contact person for Ferrando Ford – Jerry DeRosa
  - Food for the show – Terry Simcheck but open for discussion. Also Smiley's Ice Cream
  - Show flyers for the show. Kevin did it last year so see if he will continue
  - Goodie bags and getting donations to put in them. We need 100
  - Counting ballots – Beth and Teresa hopefully continue doing this
  - Quality Static displays for the show field. Maybe a high profile person to come as well.
  - Pre show picnic planner. Jerry DeRosa can book the picnic grove. We need someone to plan the event
  - Liability insurance – MCA Director takes care of that.
- LET ME KNOW WHAT YOU CAN DO.

## WINTER ACTIVITIES

As I printed in the previous Pony Post, NEO club member John has taken on a winter project building a Cobra kit car. Here are the continuing pictures as the project comes long. Once again thank you John for letting us document this progress.



The tedious task of sanding both the topside and underneath.





The body ready to go to the painters and the installation of the windshield.



Body off the frame and the wood veneer for the dash.

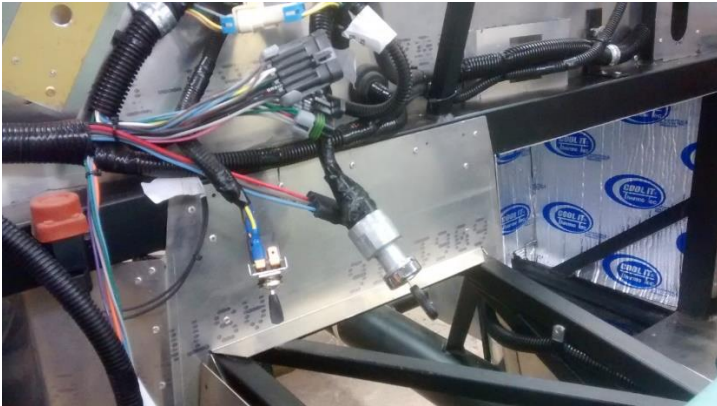


Installation of gauges into the dash



The back of the instrument panel and wiper motor installation.





Gas tank installation



More of the gas tank installation – that does not look fun! Tires for the car.

**LEMOC Property List:**

Following is a list of property/items owned by LEMOC, and available for LEMOC members to use on a first-come/first-served basis. These items were either purchased by or donated to LEMOC. Please contact Basil Yurchak if you would like to borrow any of these items.

1. Storage Boxes - LEMOC Documentation, Paperwork, etc. (President, Membership Chair)
2. LEMOC Photo/Event Albums (Chris DeRosa)
3. Book - Ford, The First 100 Years (Chris DeRosa)
4. Book - Mustang Dynasty, Donated by John Clor author; (Chris DeRosa)
5. United States Flag & Certificate- Flown in Enduring Freedom Campaign, 2006  
(gift from Kent Gipson, participant at Flagship National Show - 2006) (Chris DeRosa)
6. Shriners Hospitals for Children Gold Book Society Recognition Plaque  
(from Flagship National) (Chris DeRosa)
7. LEMOC Letterhead & Envelopes, LEMOC Thank You Cards & Envelopes (Chris DeRosa)
8. 3-Gallon Drink Cooler/Dispenser (2) - (Jerry DeRosa)
9. Magnetic Parade Signs for side of cars (2) - (Denise Ricci)
10. Plastic Jugs for Chinese Auction (Chris DeRosa)
11. 10' x 10' Easy-Up Canopy (1)
12. 10' x 20' Tents (2); (nylon carry bags and 1 canvas roller bag)
13. Tables (10)
14. Garbage Containers - Cardboard, Collapsible (15)
15. Orange Cones (40)
16. Orange Flags (6)
17. LEMOC Banners - Various
18. Car Show Signs (8)
19. Wooden Rope Stanchions (6)
20. Yellow Nylon Rope - Spool
21. Coil Spring Compressor Tool
22. Power Steering Pulley Puller
23. Timing Light & Tune-Up Kit
24. Tow Bar - 64½ - 66 Mustang only

Note: These items are stored by Basil Yurchak unless otherwise noted above.

May 7, 2018

## ***MCA Membership***

If you are considering joining the Mustang Club of America ... now is the time. The MCA annual membership is \$50, but if you join now, LEMOC will receive \$10 of that cost. Please contact Doug Mathers to take advantage of this special membership offer and help LEMOC at the same time.

## ***LEMOC Classifieds***

If any one has any car parts or cars they would like to sell, they can place an ad here free!

### ***FOR SALE***

#### **1984½ Mustang Anniversary GT350 Convertible (Contact Mike 814-746-9910)**

46K miles; 302 Automatic; 1 of 610 with this combination (5,261 total); Needs just a little work, but in very good shape; Must Sell – Asking \$7,000 Contact Mike Henderson at [hend6@verizon.net](mailto:hend6@verizon.net) or 814-746-991



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